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FRHRIS & CAUTHORN

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entally with a shotgu shoro, 1li. ind Iowa farmers are keep L: Ferris tin shop hustlin with tin work,

-A few choise farms In In Galloway's real estate

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ers killed his brother with puarrel at the bome of their ar Wynnewood, I. T. old Superior brand of Cook

-the kind that lasts a life FERRIS & CAUTHORN. tions for teachers' certifi be held in Mexico Friday ay, March 27 and 28, 1903.

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th side of public square 8, 8 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 5 p. m. train jumped the track at over the track for a quarter

-Tin work of all kinds. G. L. FERRIS, StM17 Opposite Postoffice. emy teams played a game

the M. M. A. campus Mon-This was the first game ertson and family hav Hazen, Ark., to reside. The

drs other friends in wishing s in their new h d: Old iron. Will pay ce. Bring it in at once

SAM MORRIS. d Polly Clendenen, of Bor shose father died recentnake their home with their

s. Howard G. Baskett, in hodist girls of Hardin Col-

and H. K. Hinde, Monda -A good, young saddle an stallion; age from tw

48-tf G. W. RAMEY, Laddonia, Mo. Gould's special train from

ted train bound for Net tes 172 miles in 152 minute new southern record. Farm Machinery. New Cultivators.

FRIERIS & CAUTHORN. atin Democrat wants thos papers that have been be Missouri general asse late Congress did for its

ford's many friends ar so well. Wallace is the right man in the He is secretary to Hon.

load of Farm Machinreceived, consisting and Walking Plows, rs, Harrows, Corn &c., &c. All of the med goods are warjual to any sold in nd will be sold cheap

de Hardware Store water Rev. W. H. Hook his appointment auSalt

able condition of e Joplin usus. e, and accordingly The car shortage In some instances the d in ordinary flat cars.

> STRUGGER BOINS ARRETT AND CRISWELL THE DRUGGISTS SQUARE

Weekly Ledger THE MEXICO TRUST CO.

WILL LIKELY BE LOCATED ON THE NORTH SIDE OF PUBLIC SQUARE.

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want to borrow money on The Company is Composed of Some of the Most Prominent and Conservative Citizens of This Community-Their Names

> A Trust Company has been organiz ed in Mexico composed of some of Au that other parties who desire to part sipate may secure stock at par from

the organizers.

Brown will stay a week or also be substantially benefited

Johnson, Alex. Carter, J. O. Edmor.

*************** Did you ever try a piece of our Sultana Hemp Carpet? Price, 25c. Style and quality equal to



Stands For Order and Decency.

or mayor, is one of the most popula men in the city. He is a good busine vate enterprises. It is predicted or all hands that he will make Moberly an excellent mayor. He has public nnounced that he stands for a high saloon license-for order and decency. entertained by Mrs. John He is progressive and full of hustle he will have a splendid connoil to supthe best interest of Moberly. With ceed. I will send you one of the Pres neord with him the outlook for a good aunicipal, business administratio were never brighter.

Cold Weather in Texas A Texas exchange publishes the fo wing, which indicates that they are having a hard winter down there: "The man with a capital equal to the value of Texas cattle that died

ast night would be comfortably fixed for the rest of his days." 'A traveler in the smoking car thi erning said: 'When we left Amarillo eighteen inches of snow had trains are blockaded at Amarillo or account of the snow north, and Supt. mowed in at Matlock, a switch in over the plains, and things are loo

ing tough out there." Our line of Silks are new and complete and the values we are showing for 75c and 98c can not



Land Owners, Attention We are preparing to get out a farm list, as we sold nearly all the farms we had in our printed list last ear and if you have a farm you wish to sell come in and register it with us or if not convenient to come to town write us a full and minute description of the same with your lowest price and we will see what we can do with LARBNAN & BARNES,

A Hannibal young couple, went to St. Louis and were married as a surprise to their parents. The mother of the bride would not forgive them un til they procured another license and were married in Hannibal. bride and groom feel now that nothing can ever separate them.

Marriage Licenses. Jesse Langford, Vandalia. May Burchalter, Wellsville. Ethel B. Edmonds, Laddonia.

Bancie L. Herlinger, Audrain Co. Farms changing hands necessitate uch work in the way of fixing up and repairing. Leslie Ferris is put ing up guttering and fixing cha-pumps all over the county.

The best residence property in Rust Hill for sale at a bargain.

52-13t Chas. L. Strwart,

The Tarkie World says that while it is lamentable, it is true that the 20, 1963. ng frazzled at the edges.

Builders' hardware; see us for looks of that enterprising town are nd nails. FRUUS & CAUTHOUN.

GOLD MINE IN POULTRY YARD.

Fifty Years the Standard Breeds and Varieties for Practical Purposes Turkeys and Geese Are Given Some Attention. REAM see of the Ledger

Awarded Highest Honors World's Fair Highest tests U.S. Gov't Chemist

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.

PAUL ALLEN DEAD.

Telegram From Trinidad Announ-Fact But Does Not Give Particulars.

A telegram from Trinidad, Colo., te

Mrs. Martha Allen, of this city, an

by what means. The message stated

Paul Allen left Missouri for Colo

way up on a railroad running through

Trinidad until he was made a con

was promoted to jard master at Trinl-

having been received by a sister

this city the day of his death.

dren survive him.

actor. Within the last few days he

Deceased was born in this city about

Is years ago and lived here until he

egan rallroading on the Alton several

rears ago. He was married to a Miss

Moore in Slater. She and two chil-

Adams, of Cincinnati; Mrs. Crockett

icted from the Presbyterian church

by Rev. A. A. Wallace at 3 o'clock

AN OLD LETTER.

W. E McDonald, of Thomps

Funeral services will be

do about a year ago and worked his

es the death of her son, Pau

MEXICO, March 9 .- As to the best breed of chickens to keep for practical purposes there is a wide difference of opinion. It depends largely upon what you want to keep chickens for. If for the purpose of selling stock, either as broilers and frys or as natured birds, of course some of th arger breeds are better. 100 pound lickens can be produced at a con siderable less expense than 100 pounds of beef or pork. As a rule, the chickens will bring more per pound than the beef or pork. Broilers and frys will bring two or three times as much, then It is profitable to raise chick ns for market. For that purpose the writer favors the Light Brahma. If eggs are the object some of the medi um or small beeds should be chosen As an all-purpose chicken the Plym oth Rocks and Wyandots are the opular breeds among the medium ize breeds, while the Leghorns are argely chosen as the best of the small eds. The writer prefers the medim size breeds and has been partial to perhaps, are no better than the Rocks

the Wyandots for many years. They, except that they are about a pound ighter in weight, thus maturing L. Allen, in that city Monday.

The telegram merely stated that
Mr. Allen was dead but bid not tell about a month earlier and conquently begin laying earlier. That is for profits. Another breed has recent ly come into popularity, viz: the Rhode Island Reds. They are comparitively new in the West, but have seen bred for ab ut twenty years in Island, where they got their name They seemed to originate among the dad, a letter announcing the news rmers who bred them expressly for their egg-producing qualities and their value as a market fowl. Their color is as the name indicates, a red; not a dark buff, but a genuine

That gives them a very handabout a pound lighter than the Wyanlots, thus giving them the advantage nencing laying, over the Wyandots as that breed has over the Rocks. The Rock pullet will begin laying at from 6 to 7 months old, the Wyandot from 5 to 6 and the Red from 41 to 5. In excell all other breeds. In the spring which laid an average of 9 eggs a day for 3 months. In May of that year I Michigan, a distance of over 500 mil nd they hatched 123 strong chicks Phat seems incredible to anyone who has had experience in poultry ing, but we can substantiate it. The Bronze turkey is the popular breed, owing to their large size. It is quite mmon for the toms to reach 40 ads and not unfrequently does one

mber 1, 1837. The document is well preserved and the sheet on which the letter is writen serves as its own envelop, it being folded and sealed, and addressed or the back. Where the stamp should se "Free, A. G. Harrison" is writ-Mr. Harrison was Representative in ess at that time, serving from 1834 to 1839. WASHINGTON CITY, Sept 1, 1837 .-Dear Harrison: Your favor with the closed petition has come to hand. I

petitioned for. oming much crowded with visitors. charter the Bank of the United States. ort him in working intelligently for but I have no idea that it will suc such a mayor and a council is perfect ident's messages so soon as it is deliv-

A. G. HARRISON. Grove P. O., Audrain County, Missouri. The postoffice of that name was at the farm on which James Har

rison lived, 9 miles southwest of this city, now occupied by his son, Wm. Henry Plate Dead.

Henry Plate, aged 60 years, died at his home 4; northwest of Mexico at 7:45 o'clock Monday morning after a engthy illness. Deceased was born in Germany as

was brought to the United States by his parents when he was about 16 years of age. Twenty-two years ago be moved to Audrain and has since lived Hartley county. Cattle are dying all here. He leaves a widow and these Henry, Hugo, A. F., Bichard, Monroe Robert, Rosa, Hulda and Agna. Funeral services will be con rom the late residence dy Rev. John

Anderson, of this city at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. The intermet was in this city. For Rent. 200-acre farm for rent, 7 miles west

of McCredie; good corn, oats and hay land; good buildings; also 80-acre farm good corn land, small house; 9 mile west of Auxyame Address J. H. BLAIR, .

Mexico, Mo. Care Ringo Hotel.; or Des Moines, In.

The remains of James Baxter, who died in Hannibal a few days ago, will be shipped to Ireland, to be interred in the graveyard of his and The shipment will be made by express, although the widow will make the journey on the same trains and

Pioneer Judge Dead. Judge Hardy, one of the ploneer citizens of northeast Missouri, died at his home in Ralls county Tuesday morning. The deceased was 85 years old and was judge of the county court before the war. His funeral was held at Monroe City Wednesday. Anti-Cigarette Bill Passed.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., March 9.arettes and cigarette paper to children under 18 years of age passed the senate to-day. The house bad preriously passed the bill.

House For Sale or Rent. Two-story house with two lots, for sale or rent, cheap. Property is offer-ed at a bargain on account of not being close to square. d&wtf

The County School Commis will hold examination for rural grad-uates at Hall school house, in the outheast part of the county, March

Bramer's school bonds found a ready narket at 4 per cent, and the people

Blood Was Poisoned.

A Happy Cure After Use of

Two Bottles of Compound

ous system is so perfectly regulated that it can, without undue effort, perform its almost numberless and mportant duties. The blood as it courses through the from here to Kansas City.

these sisters and brothers: John, of Fulton: Miss May, of this city; Miss Cyrena, of Jefferson City; Mrs. Homer Barrison, of McCredle, and Ada, of of 1901 I had one yard of 12 red pullets system. Try its renovating and life shipped 127 eggs from that pen to P. P. Desverine, of Havana, says:about Paine's Celery Compound and

Written to Judge Harrison Septem ber 1, 1837, in Regard to Estab-lishing the Mexico Postoffice. nds the LEDGER a letter written by is great grandfather, A. G. Harrison reach 50 pounds. The White Holland turkey does not attain so great weight ut they have many desirable qualities and are much more home-like and ess liable to stray away than the ther breeds. The White Pekin duck my thanks are due to Paine's Celery is more largely raised than any other and is the best for market. They are this State. The Indian Runner due is the greatest egg-producer of all

fowls. It is an American breed and was made by various cros ings, including some wild blood. The have got the postoffice at Mexico as for the female and 4 pounds for the nale. They are non-sitters and al cating at this time. The members on 7 eggs each week. They do not have mostly arrived and the town is stop laying except for two or three iverage eggs produced by one duck to the enormous an under favorable circumstances are 225

to 250 per year. They are great foragers and if they have good blue grass pasture require but little grain For eggs they are the most pro of farm fawls. They require no home The letter was addressed to Locust to shelter them, except some little over for them to run under in th coldest weather, and in this climate they will not need that. They never

have lice, are never sick and take car of themselves generally.
H. B. GHERN. Parental Discipline in Russia. In Russia the partriarchal spirit still very strong. An old man called Rybalka, residing in Novorossisk, on the Black Sea, has just beaten his so Stephen to death, "for daring to ge drunk during the holidays." The sor was 20 years of age and the punish nent took place in the presence of a

erowd of people. No one dared inter-fere, "because the old man was the father and it was his business." A Change For C. R. Gibbs. nfro Gibbs, formerly of Mexic and up to a short time ago a travelin alesman for the Meyer Bros. Drug oncern of importers at New Orleans The new company has a capital \$150,000 and Mr. Gibbs is secretary.

He is well known in Bowling Green -Bowling Green Times. A meeting attended by 100 repr sentative citizens of Boone county was held at Columbia recently, and it was agreed that a new court house is needed. A bond election will be held soon. It is proposed to replace the present court house, which has done service since 1847, with a structure to



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The Spring System Cleanser.

body must bear nourishment and life or poisons and death. In the spring season thousand round us suffer from various forms of



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blood diseases and many are pectedly cut downsby death Your blood is surely filled with waste

and poisonous matters when you suffer from bolls, pimples, blackbends eczema, salt rheum, eryslpelas or itch. When nerve force is low, when you uffer from insomnia, lassitude ieuralgia, be assured you blood de

nands purifying and cleansing. Paine's Celery Compound quickly anishes from the blood all poisons; it supplies the proper elements for en riching the vital fluid, building tissi and for the general repair of the whole giving virtues at once if you would be made well, strong and happy. Judge

"While I was in New York I read

never thought I would ever get well only took one bottle of that wonder ul discovery and found myself with better vigor and energy.' Mr. Thos. Young, Elmora, Pa "I suffer very much from bloc oisoning, and after doctoring for two nonths with my physician and not

Paine's Celery Compound. 'The use of

two bottles completely cured me. All

SALES AVERAGING HIGH.

actions For February and March Will Total Over Three Millions of Dollars.

The total money paid for Audrai ounty property during February and over \$3,000,000.

The transfers for February footed up and up to Saturday night of last week. days, amounted to nearly the same for February. The sales for the size lays of last week were:

March 2, 8319,193. March 3, \$232,974. March 4, 894,159. March 5, 263,850. March 6, \$201,887. March 7, 8131,057.

Total for week, \$1,182,820. This total, with the total for the wenty-eight days of February bring ne amount up to \$2,413,900, which will be raised considerably in excess the three million mark before the las of the present month, as some of the largest sales are set to be recorded

Men's shirts, overalls, under wear, etc., of all kinds at price that will win you over if you will take the time to look. Freder dall & Williams

S. W. S. S. ***************

List of letters remaining in the Pos Office at Mexico, Mo., for the week ending March 12, 1903, which if no called for in thirty days will be sent the dead letter office at Washington. Persons calling for letters in th

list will please say "advertised:" Brown, G. W.; Bennis, Wes; Caney, Mary; Clotz, Augusta; Elsworth, Claude; Fisher, C. G.; Fish, D. M.; Powler, E. C.; Haare, John; Hill, Myrtle; Howard, Fletcher; Kaiser, Chas.; Jenkins, J.; Louis, Wm.: May, John; Martin, Mary S.; Mason, W. D.; Nor ris, Renry; Montjoy, Carrie; Newlin, C. W.; Russell, W. R.; Shannon, Gerie; Tuttle, H. B.; Watts, Joseph;

Wayland, H. H. WM. THELOAR, Postmaster. Land for Rent. 80 lacres of good land, 4 miles from Mexico, for rent. Apply to

LANE & ADAMS, Mexico, Mo. Holds His Age Well.

"Notice where that white hor leal, sold at the street carriage sale aturday for \$967" said a Carthage norseman to a reporter for the Carsold 'Seal' eight years ago on time to . Hughes for just \$30, and now someell me that isn't a commentary on as difference between Democratic nd Republican good times. I tell

Then the racehorse man chuckle udibly as he added: "And the joke it is, that the old white may sold for a 10-year-old each time, both eight years ago and last Saturday." Representatives of the Missouri

on, there's nothing like the horse as

entral Riccirio Railway company are neaged in securing rights-of-way for line through Callaway county, and very little difficulty is experience

SHORT LINE WILL BE BUILT.

Plans, However, Will Be Changed Burlington Road Coming Into Mexico.

plans of the Chicago & Alton Railway Company to build a short line from Mexico to St. Louis. It is stated the Alton has turned the project over of Bill Asbury for \$35 per head. Health is that natural state of the to the Burlington, which company whole body in which the entire nerv- will build the line from Alton, Ill., to this city and have an agreemen whereby both roads will use the line and the Burlington use the main line

A dispatch from Bloomington, Ill.

egarding the rumor says. Announcement was made here to day of a joint track arrangement be tween the Chicago & Alton and Chi ago, Burlington & Quincy, which would shorten the lines of both roads between St. Louis and Kansas City. For some time the former road has week been conducting surveys for the contruction of a line between Mexico Mo., and St. Louis, in order to avoid the round-about route via Roodhouse It is now understood that the Alto will not construct any additional line out will use a track to be laid by the Burlington. According to the plans now under discussion, and which are believed here to have reached a favorable conclusion upon the part of both corporations, the Burlington will oulld from Alton, Ill., to Mexico, and ther use the Alton tracks between Mexico and Kansas City. In return the Alton will be permitted to use the new track between Mexico and Altor and also the Burlington's trucks be ween Alton and St. Louis. The cheme gives the Alton a line between Kansas City and St. Louis fully forty alles shorter than their present route, while the Burlington will b

DOING A FINE BUSINESS.

Kansas City from St. Louis.

given an inexpensive entrance into

Hathaway-Keath Grain and Implment Company Are Working a Large Force All the Time and Are Keeping Up With Their Ordera

A LEDGER reporter was shown Hathaway-Keath Grain and Imple nent Company this morning and wa urprised to see the large amount of seeds and grain being handled. This firm works a large force of men, and is

Just at this time they are especially usy getting out their spring seorders. They have a large variety of the best field and garden seeds to b secured anywhere. All their seeds are fresh and will bring better results than some of the old stock. These gentle men bring thousands of dollars to Audrain each month, and should be liberally patronized.

******** Have you seen our line of new Spring Dress Goods? All the new



ABOUT FOUR-LEAF CLOVER. How It Has Been Noted by People of

Some people look all their lives for a our-leafed clover, quatre foil, with out success, while others think noth ing of picking them up. Same with everything else flotsam and jetsam Thoreau was noted for his luck or skill in finding relics of the abori gines. He could pick up an arrow head at almost any time. He must have had an eye of a chicken. It is said that walking with Emerson one day the subject came up and the latter philosopher lamented his inability to find one of these relics of the stone Mrs. Eve Cragbead and son who have age. Yet he had looked for them ofter where they were known to abound Thorean replied that it was easy ough, and picked one up at their very feet. Four-leaved clovers are are to most mortals. Those of the ve-leaved variety are not often dis covered. Back in '80 a jockey on one of the local running tracks, Abner

Camp, who had been put on the round for a week for disobedience at the post, went botanizing through the nfield, looking for a quatre foil. He ound a perfect quinte feuille, a fivecafed clover. This was mounted and given to Jockey James McLaughlin, to be worn by him while riding Miss mud being too deep. Woodford in the big Eclipse stakes at St. Louis, for which this great marwas starting, and in which she was expected to meet her old enemy and onqueror, Freeland. Of course, that gave her luck,

doubly so, for she won without have ing to measure strides with Mr. Corrigan's racing machine. When Gen eral Hancock received the Democratic nomination for the Presidency in 188 directed the fermation of a committee of old Union Generals and th organization of the veteran Dem cratic ex-volunteers throughout th north. This was effected. It was bought best to have a soldiers' cam paign badge. General James McQuade of the committee suggested the trefolum, the military insigne of Hancock's old army corps. This was voted by General Hancock as seemingly nvidious. He suggested as a substi tute a four-leaved clover. uck in that, you know," said he. The lea was adopted and vast numbers of them were made. The design was drawn by the daughter of a Catholic ookseller of Barelay street, this gentieman belonging to the committee n getting an affirmative answer, "I and being a veteran of Hancock's old ommand. For her services the young woman was compilmented with dy pays 896 cash for him. Don't hadge made expressly for her, and of considerable value.

Smokey chimneys doctored and ne ook stoves exchanged for old ones at G. L. Ferris' tin ahop, opposite post

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McKee, near Clarksdale, have been married onger than any other couple in De Kalb county. They celebrated their sixticth anniversary last Monday. Tin work and chain pumps

G. L. FREEER Opposite Postoffice. Robert Hisey went to Californi Mo., Saturday to buy horses.

COUNTY NEWS.

FROM YOUNGS CREEK Council Cheek, March 10,-Mis Duncan, of Littleby, is teaching the unexpired term of school at Bryant, which Miss Fuwler gave up on account

Taylor Skinner bought three cov Mrs. Thad Bowider is quite sick Mr. Delaney, of Monroe county, has cented the "Aunt" Mary Berry farm.

Thomas Arnold, of Molino, has rent ed Lakenan & Barnes' farm, known as the Wash Miller farm. T. J. Bybee, of Molino, has moved to the Maud Carter farm, on Youngs

Creek, which be purchased lately. "Aunt" Jane Berry is very ill. DULY ITEMS.

Duly, March 7.—Ira Ellis has rented the B. F. Orear farm. Rev. Mr. Hill filled his regular appointment at Trinity church last

Mr. Dorgan has moved back to his farm from Mexico. His old neighunderstand Mr. Dorgan has sold his farm to Iowa parties, but will remain on the place this year. F. G. and W. M. Brenton have bee

called to the bedside of their brother. Dennie Brenton, who is quite ill in St Louis Mr. Brenton was formerly a esident of this county. Mr. Bybee has rented the Fitzwate. farm for this year. Those on the sick list are Mrs. Rut

ter, Mr. Platte, Sr., and Tommle Otule. BENTON CITY ITEMS.

BENTON CITY, March 10.—Mrs. Ab Romans spent several days last week Mrs. James Powell visited in Mex

Herman Tratchel was in Mexico

Mrs. Charlie Marshall has gone t Dr. Diven and wife were at Mexic

Thursday

aturday Mrs. John Reeds spent Sunday i W. H. Davis and daughters spen

Brent Erisman's sale Monday we

well attended and stock sold well; he will soon leave for Arkansas Mrs. Alex Parish went to St. Loui Mrs. Fred Squires came up from

Martinsburg Saturday to visit her Egbert Miller will leave Sunday for PRAIRIE VIEW ITEMS. PRAIRIE VIEW, Feb. 7.—Mrs. WI am Groves died Friday morning after

etery Saturday afternoon. at the house Mr. Herron is moving to the Davi Mr. Brown is moving to the Jo

a long and painful illness. The re-

ains were buried in the Mexico Cem-

Hord Davis is moving to enter place. Gamble Fountain, of Indian Terri ory, is the guest of his grandparents Mrs. Fountain, nee Gamble, is in a spital in Kansas City. George Dean's children are sick.

C. R. Gamble is no better. P. F. Denham, Miss Jerman, Jeff ferman and Miss Carrie Denbam, wh were married in Mexico Thursday, had quite an experience in getting home to Church both double trees to their sur rey broke, but they were not to be pu ut by a little thing like that. They unhitched their horses and each groon took his bride of a few hours behin him and proceeded to Gant, a distance

of five miles.

FROM AUXVASSE. AUXVASSE, March 11.- Joe Billi Henderson and family and Bernard Campbell, wife and child have left for heir future home in Indian Terri

en on a visit to her mother, have returned to their home in Columbia her mother going with them. Mrs. Pigg, of Concord, died Monda and was buried at Concord cemetery

Her funeral was preached by Rev. Mr. Mr. Vanhorn, who bought the Rus sell farm, three miles northeast

Auxvasse, is moving in. His family came Tuesday. The gentleman who bought th Ernest Creaghead farm, 4 miles east of Auxvasse, came in Saturday night He could not move to his farm, the Frank Dudley has returned from St

Stock sold well at Collier & Cox's sale Wednesday. Cows brought from #24 to #42 per head. Rev. Mr. Lewellen filled his ap pointment here Sunday morning an

SEEDS.

Fancy clean (no chaff) Kentucky Blue Grass Seed, lb. DRIED FRUITS. Fancy Dried Sugar Corn, lb., Fancy sun-dried Apples, lb., Fancy evaporated Peaches, lb.

Famey evaporated Apricots, Ib. Famey dried Lima Beans, Ib. Famey dried Lima Beans, Ib. Famey dried Poas, Ib. Famey evaporated pitted Cherries Famey evaporated Raisins, Ib. CANNED GOODS. Large can whole Asparagus, white can pure Fruit Jam

gallon can Apples.

- To can Standard Tomatoes.

3-lb. can peeled Peaches. 3-lb. can Apples FARINACEOUS GOODS. Crispo, 2 pkgs. (Sugar Shell free.) Large package Rolled Oats (Fresent in each package.) FISH.

Fred A. Morris, THE GROCER.

Fredendall & Wilkins

FIRST SHOWING OF STYLISH HATS FOR STREET WEAR.

Saturday and Monday, March 14 & 16 We will show many exclusive styles in ready-to-wear Hats and advance ideas of the coming correct modes of Spring,

especially adapted for present wear.

Saturday and Monday, March 23 & 25 WE WILL HOLD OUR

FROM THOMPSON

Thourses, Mo. March 11.—James

Win. Burke was a business visitor

Mrs. Ed Tilger was a recent visite

Elliost, Saturday.

north of here.

tralia Tuesday.

Mexico Monday.

Gant, Tuesday.

streets Tuesday.

Miss Mae Shock, a charming young

W. F. Horan was here from Colum

bia Saturday the guest of the Wabash

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Gant were enter

tifined by Mrs. Gant's parents in

Miss Muy Jackson, of Mexico, is the

Mr. Kelso has moved from Illinois

to his farm recently purchased, 7 miles

A. M. Neff has moved to Mexico to

Mr. F. M. Tinsley was the guest of

Mrs. John Wiseman, of Centralia, is

Mrs. S. W. Downing has returned to

W. E. McDowald was in Mexico

Miss Ethel Dudley has returned

Irvin Franklin was here from Mex-

E. F. Elliott was in Centralia Wed-

T. J. Daniel was here from Cen-

J. D. Davis was a business visitor to

J. W. Owings, of Centralia, was a

brief visitor to his daugter, Mrs. W. E.

Claud Carter and wife were her

T. D. Powell and wife, formerly of

this place, later of Henton City, left

having been Wabash agent here for

years. We regret very much to see

them leave Audrain. They have the

best wishes of their host of friend

Don't fail to see our line of Mat-

ting, Lincoleum, etc. Prices are

Federalall & Williams

THE BEST CRITICS.

BY 6000, W. HALL, ORCHID, MO.

Some poets would fain have their song

Or know that their verses are fou

But dearer to me than the gushing

Are the plandits of children who

Yes; dearer than all are the letters I

"Hurrah for Missouri!" Ah! can I

The comfort and loy that they bring?

Since they are to manage the big world

"I can, and I coght, and I will!"

to be splended values.

future intended."

Racine Buggy. We have the agency

Or the praise of a great magazine,

Of critics of highest estate:

on the lips

Or those

great.

in the "clips

critique.

ge ti

forget

lovingly speak

sunshine appears

little hearts.

reasonable; quality good.

C. Bruce, of Skinner, was on

rom a visit to Centralia friends.

his son, J. O. Tinsely, in Columb

the guest of relatives here.

guest of her sister, Mrs. G. E. Sims.

Centralia Satorday and Sunday.

SANTA FE ITEMS.

SANTA FE, Mo., March 9.—Rev. Mr. Vebb preached Sunday morning at Surber returned from St. Louis he Christian Church, but on account Wednesday. of bad roads did not preach Sunday

In Mexico Thursday, C. W. Tanner, of Farber, is here the to relatives near Doan Station. guest of relatives. George Dull was the guest of John Heizer, of Molino, Friday night. lady of Hallsville, was entertained by her friend, Mrs. E. F.

Henry Painter was in Paris Tues-The sale was well attended at Wm Floyd's Thursday.

Walker Quisenberry is in Paris, he has been attending school in Quincy. Ill., but on account of measles settling n one of his ears, he came to Paris and had an operation performed. We hope he will soon be able to return to

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sterrett, Thursday, March 5, a son.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bishop visited clatives in Perry Saturday. Jas. Eddings, of Center, was here the Sunday.

Santa Fe last week.

first of last week.

Mattingly Bros., of Strother were in

Harry Holland, of Center, is attendng school at Canton, and preaches Mrs. S. W. Downing has returned to coasionly near Center. We are glad Centralia after a few days' visit to ber y a resident of this place.

MARTINEBURG, March 11.—Messrs Jap Stephens, Jim Scott and H. P. French were Mexico visitors Satur Miss Effic Phillips and Messrs. Gor don West and Gilbert Reese, of Wells-ville, attended the "tacky" party

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given in the hall Friday night. Miss Maud Crane returned home aturday, after an extended visit in Earl Whitehead, of Wellsville, was a risitor to our town a few days the lat-

ter part of the week.

I. W. Taylor returned home Saturday, after a week's visit with his brother in Iowa. Mrs. Thos. Taylor was called to berry Friday to attend the fu- for Hasen, Arkansas, Thursday to re-Iside. These young people are well and

Rev. Hollie Hale, of St. Louis, spent favorably known here-Mr. Powell Friday and Saturday with home folks, J. Yelton and family, formerly of this place, who have been in St. Louis for a year, returned Wednesday and will again make their home in Mar-

usburg. We welcome Mr. Yelton and his family back. Miss Dillon, of Wellsville, is visiting er sister, Mrs. Harve Pritchett, this

'The "tacky" party given in the Woodmen hall Friday night by an en terprising little committee was a grand success, there being about 7 rsons present, all of whom were arrayed in true meaning of the word 'tacky," which showed some mos mical specimens. Music was the main feature of the evening. Prize were given to the tackiest person

present and refreshments were then erved.

RUSH HILL ITEMS. orrespondence of the Ledger. RUSH HILL, March 9.—Our elevaors are all quiet as there is no corn ming in on account of bad roads. John Bethel and family are moving

The Brandon Brothers have taken

o the Rubling farm.

ossession of the J. T. Johnson farm. N. T. Hall, of Mound City, Ill., is risiting his sister, Mrs. J. L. Carnes. Of friends whom they never have Miss Cala Rosser gave her friends a slightful birthday party Friday vening, March 6. The roads were early impassable and the weather very inclement, but no one dared to From the brigh little pupils who sing niss the enjoyable time that had been anticipated, and no one did miss it. At 9:45 the most delicious refreshpents were served. All seemed as How the clouds break away and the though they wished Miss Cala's sunshine appears birthday would come oftener. A As I read them again and again! nost enjoyable evening was spent. For I know that in only a few fleet-Among those present were Misses ing years
Bennotta Barkley, Mary Cross, Eighty- These children are women and men. One Turley, Mina Taylor, Cora Craw And down in the depths of their true ford, Hattie Vandeventer, Mattie Pasley, Gertrude McCall, Ethyl Max- Lie hidden the seed that I sow, well, Olive Sipple; Messrs. Wm. Read, Awaiting the sunshine of love that L. C. McCall, Thomas Sipple, James imparts
Meyers, Montie Pasley, Charley MaxThe life that shall cause them to grow

in wishing her many bappy birth-How sacred a trust to futill-BY ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT. Preparing each brave little hero to orrespondence of the Ledger. RUSH HILL, March 10.—Cunnit ham & Casper shipped a car lead of Angera goats to St. Louis Monday. for this splendid line of pleasure-vehicles and we honestly believe them A. Zimmerman moved to his farm ortheast of Rush Hill, last week. Miss Barelay, of Mexico, if the gues

well. Miss Cala's many friends join

E. A. Feutz received a car load of oal at this point Saturday. Mrs. J. P. Paris was very ill of bear rouble Monday.

Hill Monday looking after a music Miss Calla Rosser entertained a few and Lynn Shouse braved the storm on

friends Friday evening with a birth-Miss Ethel Maxwell entertained the astime Club Monday evening. Brandon Brothers have moved he Johnson farm.

X, P. Eall will make improvem

on his store building this spring.

galvanised and wood

think so to read this: "Frank Netdig

funday evening and called on their

PRIMARS & CAUTRORN.

If there is a public censor in or near Chillicothe he had better be looking after Frank Neidle and Lynn Sho According to a country correspondent, these two young men are going to

Chain Pumps. Quit drawing water with a bucket and see what we to sell you in the pump line. Both

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